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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of ) CUSTOMER NO. 27717  
Stephane Menard et al. ) Group Art Unit: 3748  
Serial No.: 10/782,708 ) Examiner: Hoang M. Nguyen  
Filed: February 17, 2004 ) Confirmation No. 5556  
Title: MEMS ACTUATORS )  
Seyfarth Shaw LLP Docket No.: TJK/450 )

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Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on July 7, 2005 setting a shortened statutory response period of three months to October 7, 2005. A Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time is submitted herewith, in duplicate, accompanied by a check in the amount of \$60.00 covering the cost of said extension, bringing the term for response to November 7, 2005. Should any other fees be deemed necessary to be charged to this file, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 19-1351. Applicants submit the following Remarks and respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider the rejections made in the Action and to allow the claims to issue.

**The Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 13 of this paper.